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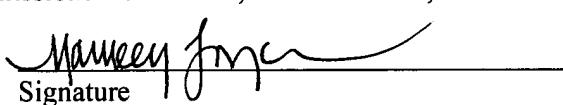
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Applicant: Jackie Y. Ying et al.
Serial No: 10/044,801
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PROSTHESES INCORPORATING THEM, AND METHOD FOR THEIR
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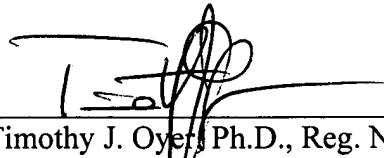
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